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) Opposition No. 91225808
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) Mark: STREETWISE
) Serial No.: 86/687581
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### **ANSWER**

Answer Financial Inc., a Delaware Corporation, ("Answer Financial") hereby answers the Notice of Opposition ("Opposition") filed by Financial Gap Administrator LLC, Vehicle Service Administrator LLC, Administration America LLC, and Wise F&I, LLC ("Opposers") against U.S. Serial No. 86/687581 for the mark STREETWISE.

Answer Financial does not believe that any response to the introductory paragraph is required; however, to the extent that the Board determines that the introductory paragraph contains factual allegations, Answer Financial is without

knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of any of the allegations and, on that basis, denies those allegations.

- 1. Answer Financial is without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of any of the allegations of Paragraph 1 and, on that basis, denies those allegations.
- 2. Answer Financial is without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of any of the allegations of Paragraph 2 and, on that basis, denies those allegations.
- 3. Answer Financial is without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of any of the allegations of Paragraph 3 and, on that basis, denies those allegations.
- 4. Answer Financial is without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of any of the allegations of Paragraph 4 and, on that basis, denies those allegations.
- 5. Answer Financial is without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of any of the allegations of Paragraph 5 and, on that basis, denies those allegations.
  - 6. Admitted.

- 7. Answer Financial is without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of any of the allegations of Paragraph 7; on that basis, denies those allegations.
- 8. Answer Financial is without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of any of the allegations of Paragraph 8; on that basis, denies those allegations.
- 9. Answer Financial realleges and incorporates by reference as though set forth fully herein its answers to each of the preceding paragraphs.
  - 10. Denied.

#### **AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES**

11. Answer Financial hereby reserves the right to amend its answer to raise affirmative defenses as they become available or apparent to Answer Financial through discovery in this matter or otherwise.

#### PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, Answer Financial respectfully requests that Opposers'

petition be denied and this Opposition Proceeding be dismissed.

Dated: February 17, 2016

Respectfully submitted,

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE AND MAILING**

It is hereby certified that a copy of the foregoing ANSWER is being deposited with the United States Postal Service, first-class postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to:

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